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SUBJECT: EC-IRAN

REF: TEHRAN 932

1. IN A CONVERSATION ON JANUARY 31 WITH ROY DENMAN,
(DEPUTY SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF TRADE), ECONCOMMIN
NOTED THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO REFERENCE TO PREFERENTIAL
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TRADING ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE EC IN THE JOINT PROTOCOL

SIGNED DURING TRADE MINISTER SHORE'S VISIT TO TEHRAN.
ECONCOMMIN REITERATED THAT AN EC-IRAN PREFERENTIAL
AGREEMENT WOULD BE DAMAGING NOT ONLY IN TERMS OF TRADE
POLICY, BUT ALSO TO CONSUMER SOLIDARITY TOWARD THE OIL
PRODUCERS.

2. DENMAN AGREED FULLY, AND SAID THAT THE UK WOULD
CONTINUE TO "FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT" TO PREVENT THE EC
FROM CONCLUDING A PREFERENTIAL TRADE AGREEMENT WITH
IRAN. HE SAID THE UK WELCOMES THE STRONG LINE THAT THE
COMMISSION IS TAKING ON THIS ISSUE, AS IT HELPS THE UK
TO MAINTAIN ITS OWN POSITION.

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